

RECREATIONAL USE ATTAINABILITY ANALYSES PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public Comment Period May 21, 2008 – August 31, 2008

Watkins Creek Unclassified segment upstream of WBID # 1708

Unclassified St. Louis County and St. Louis City

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Stream Usage Survey

1.	Stream Name (Please enter the full name)	Watkins Creek		
2.	County (Please enter the county or counties w	here the use occurs)	St. Louis	I
3.	City or Town (Please enter city or town closest	t to the area of use)	Blackjack	•
loc	Where do you use the stream? If use occurs in ation can be identified on a map, e.g., 9th Streetitude/Longitude, etc).			
	On April 24th, 2008, when I was facilitating a Central Middle School I observed a man fishir owned by trustees of Pennyrich Subdivision)	ng in a lake of Watkins	Creek known locally as	s Pennyrich Lake (as it is
5.	Have you or your family personally used the st	ream at this site(s) for r	ecreation since Nov. 2	28, 1975?
	Yes If Yes, go to Question #6	No If No, go to Que	estion #11	
	Have you or your family personally used the streation activities? Please select all that apply: Swimming Tubing Snort		any of the following wh	ole body contact
7.	How many times per year have you or your far	mily personally used the	stream for these activ	vities?
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9.	How many times per year have you or your far	mily personally used the	stream for these activ	vities? 3
10	How many of these times did children wade or	r play in the stream?	10	
11	. Have you observed or heard of others using the	he stream at this site(s)	for recreation since N	ov. 28, 1975?
	Yes If Yes, go to Question #12	No If No, go to Que	estion #17	
	Have you observed or heard of others using the treation activities? Please select all that apply: Swimming Tubing Snorth		for any of the following Water Skiing	g whole body contact
13	How many times per year have you observed	or heard of others using	g the stream for these	activities?
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	▼ Fishing Wading Bo	oating Trap	ping	
15	How many times per year have you observed	or heard of others using	g the stream for these	activities? 2
16	How many of these times did you observe or h	hear of children wading	or playing in the stream	m? 2

17. Do you have additional comments you would like to provide the department regarding this stream?

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Address 1:	1477 Crossbrook Drive		Address 2:		
City: Web:	ster Groves	State:	Missouri	Zip Code:	63119 -
Phone Number: (314) 962 - 1241 ext. E-mail: thomas.ball@sbcglobal.net					

Thank you for taking time to complete our stream use survey. We appreciate your interest and involvement in protecting a preserving the quality of Missouri's waters. If you have questions or additional comments, please contact John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, at 1-800-361-4827 or (573) 526-1446, by e-mail at cleanwater@dnr.mo.gov, or by mail at P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0176.





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	identified the fish in the bucket as Blue Gill and Croppie. I will make multiple surveys as this text box has charact lim.
FamilyRecreationU sePerYear:	10
FamilySecondaryU sePerYear:	3
FamilyChildrenUse PerYear:	10
OthersRecreation UsePerYear:	0
OthersSecondaryA ctivity:	Fishing
OthersSecondaryU sePerYear:	2
OthersChildrenUse PerYear:	2
AdditionalComme nts:	I have led many cleanups and Water Quality Monitoring events on various sections of Watkins Creek with Stream Team #3553 this year. I will make multiple survey comment submissions as the character limits in these boxes do not allow me to describe more than one at a time in detail.
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	Have you or your family personally used the streereation activities? Please select all that apply: Swimming Tubing Snorkl	eam at this site(s) for a	ny of the following whole b	oody contact		
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7.	How many times per year have you or your fam	ily personally used the	stream for these activities	? 0		
	8. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following secondary contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:					
	Fishing Wading Bo	ating Trapp	ping			
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	to wash and disinfect with hand sanitizer.
OthersRecreationA ctivity:	Swimming
FamilyRecreationU sePerYear:	0
FamilySecondaryU sePerYear:	3
FamilyChildrenUse PerYear:	2
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